Visible Splice Defects and Error Message



Error Message	Reason	Solution	
Too Long Fiber	The Cleave length (bare fiber part) is too long. Dust or dirt is on the objective lens cover.	Cleave by forcing a holder tip of fiber cutting, and pressing to a position. Execute the [Dust Check]. Clean the lens cover when dust or dirt exists.	
Too Dusty Fiber	Dust or dirt is on the fiber surface. Dust or dirt is on the objective lens cover. [Cleaning Arc] time is too short or "OFF".	Prepare the fiber again. Execute the [Dust Check]. Clean the lens cover when dust or dirt exists. Set the [Cleaning Arc] time. When splicing carbon coated fibers, set to more time.	
ZL/ZR Motor Overrun	The fiber is correctly at the bottom of the V-groove. The Cleave length (bare fiber part) is too short.	Press RESET, and set the fiber again to seat it correctly at the bottom of the V-groove. Cleave by forcing a holder tip of fiber cutting, and pressing to a position. Check the fiber length.	
Large Cleave Angle	Bad fiber end-face. [Cleave Limit] is set too low.	Check the condition of the fiber cleaver. If the blade is worn, rotate the blade to a new position. Increase the [Cleave Limit] to an adequate Limit.	
Cleave Shape NG	Bad fiber end-face.	Check the condition of the fiber cleaver. If the blade is worn, rotate the blade to a new position.	

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Splicing Operation

Turning splicer ON

Confirming splice and heater modes

Cleaning coating or sheath of fiber

When splicing only standard SM fibers, "SM AUTO" mode is recommended.

Heating Mode has been the optimal conditions for the sleeve made from FUJIKURA.



Placing protection sleeve over fiber

Stripping fiber

Cleaning fiber

Cleaving fiber

Loading fiber onto splicer

Closing wind protector and Press SET

Visual inspection on LCD during splice Removing spliced fiber

Centering protection sleeve in tube heater

Centering spliced point in tube heater

Closing tube heater lidand Press HEAT

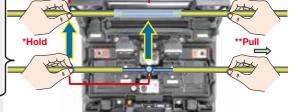
Completed



- Make sure the stripped fiber is free of coating debris or contamination.
- Use only 99% or better purity alcohol.



- Do not allow the cleaved fiber ends to touch anything or become contaminated.
- Place the fiber end between V-groove edge and Electrode center.

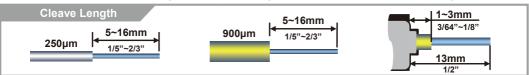


*Hold the fiber at edge of splicer body

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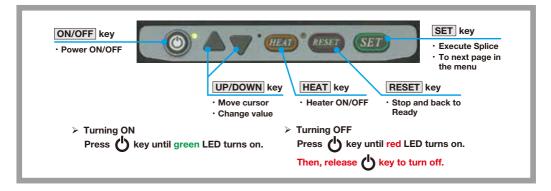
Note

- · When splicer indicates following message, splice loss may be high
- "Arc discharge is not stable. Electrodes should be stabilized to reform the arc discharge."
- · Load prepared SM fibers onto splicer in order to stabilize electrodes. After completeing it, re-splice fibers.
- · When an altitude changes drastically, stabilizing electrodes must be excecuted before splicing.





Sheet Key Operation



Power Supply

AC Adapter



AC Operation

- Input power : AC100-240V, 50-60Hz
- · Use only supplied AC power cord.
- When using an AC power generator, check output voltage periodically with a circuit tester.





AC power cord

Insert AC cord into the AC inlet of the AC adapter. The power ON LED of the AC adapter changes green color when suitable AC voltage is supplied.

If high AC Voltage is supplied, AC adapter will immediately be damaged.

Battery Pack

How to recharge battery

When LED blink at the time of charge is early, degradation of a battery and failure can be considered. Charge is not performed. Exchange for New BTR-11.

How to check remaining capacity



- Charging an internal battery pack "BTR-11" is started where AC adapter "ADC-19A" is connected to an Inlet.
- Keep below practices to prevent battery damage.
 Fully charge the battery after every use.
 Follow bellow conditions.

Operation: -10 degree C to 50 degree C
Charging: 0 degree C to 40 degree C
Storage: -20 degree C to 50 degree C

 If splicer is already equipped with the battery, turn splicer ON. Power source of "Battery" is automatically identified and the remaining battery capacity is displayed on the "READY" screen.

Confirm power saving function is working when using battery pack.



Cleaning before Splice Operation

V-groove





Fiber Clamp Chips



Fiber Clamp Chips

Fiber Cleaver

- · Clean rubber pads.
- · Clean rubber anvil.
- · Clean blade.

Clean bottom of V-groove with a thin cotton swab with alcohol.

- Remove excess alcohol from V-grooves with a clean dry swab.
- · Use a cleaved fiber end-face to dislodge.

Note

- 1) Remove electrodes before cleaning objective lens cover.
- 2) Do not contact the electrode tips.
- 3) Use only 99% or better purity of alcohol.

Objective Lenz



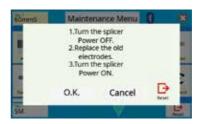
When lens is dirty, clean it.

Periodical Maintenance

Electrodes

- When "Replace electrodes" message appears, or when the tip is damaged, replace electrodes.
- Execute [Replace Electrodes]





Exchange to new electrode.



Loosen screws
Tighten screws



- · Load prepared fibers onto the splicer.
- Execute [Stabilized Electrodes]
- · [Arc Calibration] is executed.

